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IN RE APPLICATION OF :

YUICHIRO DEGUCHI, ET AL.

: EXAMINER: HWANG, J.

SERIAL NO: 10/625,666 :

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: GROUP ART UNIT: 2166

FOR: SEARCHING SYSTEM,
SEARCHING UNIT, SEARCHING
METHOD, DISPLAY METHOD FOR
SEARCH RESULTS, TERMINAL UNIT,
INPUTTING UNIT, AND RECORD
MEDIUM

DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.132

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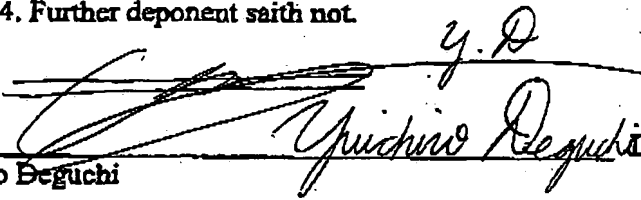
We Yuichiro Deguchi and Akiko Matsuoka depose and state that:

1. We are inventors of the invention disclosed in the above-identified application U.S. serial no. 10/625,666.
2. We declare that we conceived of the subject matter disclosed but not claimed in U.S. patent 6,578,047 common to the above-identified application, and thus the subject matter in the above-identified application common to United States Patent 6,578,047 was not by another.
3. The undersigned petitioners declare further that all statements made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed

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to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issuing thereon.

4. Further deponent saith not.

 Yuichiro Deguchi Date: August 4, 2006
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